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STATEMENT FROM COUNCILMEMBER MARILYN J. PRAISNER ON THE RECORDATION TAX

As a co-sponsor of the bill to raise an additional \$16 million for school construction projects by increasing the County's recordation tax, I am pleased that the Council unanimously supported it.

For many years, I have pushed to fund elementary gyms for every elementary school, but especially for those built without one during the lean budget years of the 1990s. I am thrilled that my recent effort has brought this County closer to my goal of a building a gym for every one of our elementary schools.